
By: **Chairman, Appropriations Committee (By Request - Departmental -
University System of Maryland)**

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Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Academic Facilities Bonding Authority**

3 FOR the purpose of approving certain projects for the acquisition, development, and
4 improvement of certain academic facilities for the University System of
5 Maryland; and approving the issuance of bonds by the University System of
6 Maryland for financing the projects.

7 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
8 MARYLAND, That:

9 (1) In accordance with Title 19 of the Education Article of the Annotated Code
10 of Maryland (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement), each of the following
11 projects is approved as a project for an academic facility, and the University System of
12 Maryland may issue, sell, and deliver bonds in the total principal amount of
13 \$12,100,000 for the purposes of financing and refinancing the costs of these projects:

14 (A) University of Maryland, Baltimore (Baltimore City)

15 (i) Construct Dental School Building

16 (B) Towson University (Baltimore County)

17 (i) Construct and Renovate Fine Arts Building

18 (2) In accordance with Title 19 of the Education Article of the Annotated Code
19 of Maryland (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement), each of the following
20 capital facilities renewal projects is hereby approved as a project for an academic
21 facility, and the University System of Maryland may issue, sell, and deliver bonds in
22 the total principal amount of \$12,900,000 for the purposes of financing and
23 refinancing the costs of these capital facilities renewal projects:

24 (A) University of Maryland, Baltimore (Baltimore City)

25 (i) Facade and Window Upgrade; Medical School Teaching Facility,

26 Phase V

- 1 (ii) HVAC Upgrade and/or Replacement: School of Pharmacy, Phase
 2 III
- 3 (iii) Elevator Upgrade: Medical School Teaching Facility, Bressler
 4 Research Building, Phased
- 5 (iv) Floor Renovation: School of Pharmacy, 4th Floor, Phase II
- 6 (B) University of Maryland, College Park (Prince George's County)
- 7 (i) Campus Utilities Infrastructure Improvements, Phased
- 8 (ii) Building Interior Architectural Infrastructure Improvements,
 9 Phased
- 10 (iii) Building Exterior Shell and Structure Infrastructure: Roofing
 11 System
- 12 (iv) Building Electro-Mechanical Infrastructure: Elevators
- 13 (v) Vehicular Infrastructure: Road Systems
- 14 (C) Bowie State University (Prince George's County)
- 15 (i) Campus Power Upgrade
- 16 (D) Towson University (Baltimore County)
- 17 (i) Replace Chillers: Power Plant, Phased
- 18 (ii) Renovate Academic Spaces
- 19 (iii) Replace Roof Systems: Various Buildings
- 20 (iv) Repair Masonry: Stephens Hall, Phased
- 21 (E) University of Maryland Eastern Shore (Somerset County)
- 22 (i) Building Systems Upgrade at Performing Arts Center
- 23 (F) Frostburg State University (Allegany County)
- 24 (i) Academic Building Renovations and Modifications
- 25 (ii) Campus Signage
- 26 (G) Coppin State College (Baltimore City)
- 27 (i) Repair and Replace Roofing System: Campus-wide, Phased
- 28 (ii) HVAC System Improvements: Campus-wide, Phased

- 1 (iii) Building and Grounds Repairs and Upgrades
- 2 (H) Salisbury University (Wicomico County)
- 3 (i) Minor Renovation and Conversion: Devilbiss Hall
- 4 (I) University of Baltimore (Baltimore City)
- 5 (i) HVAC Improvements: Academic Center
- 6 (ii) Emergency Generator: Academic Center
- 7 (iii) Sidewalk Replacement
- 8 (J) University of Maryland Baltimore County (Baltimore County)
- 9 (i) Classroom and Laboratory Renovations, Phased
- 10 (ii) Roof Replacement: Campus-wide, Phased
- 11 (iii) Electrical Distribution and Mechanical Systems Improvements:
- 12 Campus-wide
- 13 (iv) University Center Conversion, Phased
- 14 (K) University of Maryland Center for Environmental Studies
- 15 (i) Window Replacement, Nice and Cory Halls; Chesapeake
- 16 Biological Laboratory
- 17 (ii) Campus-wide Utility Duct Banks
- 18 (L) University System of Maryland
- 19 (i) Emergency Projects - System-wide

20 (3) In accordance with Title 19 of the Education Article of the Annotated Code
 21 of Maryland (2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement), each of the following
 22 projects is approved as a project for an academic facility, and the University System of
 23 Maryland may issue, sell, and deliver bonds in the total principal amount of
 24 \$8,085,000 for the purposes of financing and refinancing the costs of these projects:

- 25 (A) University of Maryland Eastern Shore (Somerset County)
- 26 (i) Campus-wide Utilities Upgrade
- 27 (B) Coppin State College (Baltimore City)
- 28 (i) Health and Human Services Building
- 29 (ii) Planning for Utilities Upgrades and Additions

1 (4) The bonds issued under the authority of this Act do not create or constitute
2 any indebtedness or obligation of the State or of any political subdivision thereof
3 except the University System of Maryland, and the bonds shall so state on their face.
4 The bonds do not constitute a debt or obligation contracted by the General Assembly
5 of Maryland or pledge the faith and credit of the State within the meaning of Article
6 III, Section 34 of the Constitution of Maryland.

7 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take
8 effect June 1, 2003.